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**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

Applicant(s): Jacob Richter

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For: STENT WITH VARIABLE FEATURES TO OPTIMIZE SUPPORT AND METHOD  
OF MAKING SUCH STENT

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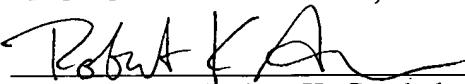
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